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Criticality Category: 1S



USA Ground Operations CIL Sheet

Critical Item: HVDS Monitor Unit

NASA Part No: 80K51814 (79K08420-H3)

(51814 (79K08420-H3) Total Quantity: 6

Mfg/Part No: Energetics Science Div., Becton-Dickinson Co. / Ecolyzer Model

7330 (NO2/NO2)

System: Hypergol Vapor Detection System

| Find No. | Qty | Area | PMN | Baseline | Drawing / Sheet |
|----------|-----|-------|--------------|----------|-----------------|
| A129922 | 1 | Pad-A | \$70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |
| A129922 | . 1 | Pad-B | S70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |
| A129927 | 1 | Pad-A | S70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |
| A129927 | 1 | Pad-B | S70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |
| A129928 | 1 | Pad-A | \$70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |
| A129928 | 1 | Pad-B | S70-1221-02 | 012.00 | 79K08420 / 1-15 |

Function:

Detect the presence of hypergol oxidizer vapors.

| Failure Mode No. Failure Mode | Failure Cause Failure Effect | Detection Method Time to Effect | Crit Cat |
|----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 09PPAB13-003.003 | HVDS monitor unit component failure. | LPS monitoring | 18 |
| Erroneous output | Sensor will not transmit appropriate signal indicating presence of hypergol vapor | Immediate | |

ACCEPTANCE RATIONALE

Design:

Procured item built for NASA

Capabilities and characteristics

Minimum detectable sensitivity

Zero drift

Span drift Accuracy

Noise

Noise

Operating temperature range Operating relative humidity 2%of full scale* +/- 10%

+/- 10%

5% full scale

1% full scale maximum

0° to 35° C

10% to 95%

* Note: Range vs. PPM for 2% of full scale.

| | NO2 | |
|-------|-----|-------|
| Range | | PPM |
| 0-5 | | 0.10 |
| 0-50 | | 1.00 |
| 0-500 | | 10.00 |

Test:

- OMRSD File VI, Vol. I requires that the sample flow rate will be verified prior to each use.
- OMRSD File VI, Vol. I requires that the zero setting in air and the analog response to surrogate gas will be verified prior to each use.
- OMRSD File VI, Vol. I requires that the sample line ID is verified prior to each use.
- OMRSD File VI, Vol. I requires that the sample line's integrity be verified through a leak check prior to each use.

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Inspection:

- The sensor certification is verified to be current prior to each flow and the certification date recorded to avoid operation beyond certification period.
- The sample lines are cleaned and dried prior to each sensor installation.
- The OMI requires that personnel be stationed on the RSS during loading operations; those personnel provide a visual monitoring of the operation.
- During the break between loading operations of oxidizer (N2O4) and fuel (MMH), a survey will be taken of the units to assess the operational status of each and make repairs if needed, prior to continuing.

Failure History:

- Current data on test failures, unexplained anomalies, and other failures experienced during ground processing activities can be found in the PRACA database. The PRACA database was researched and the following data was found on this component in the critical failure mode.
- KSC PRACA failure history (May 29,1984 through June 30,1991) indicated eleven HVDS Monitor Units failures. Of those failures, 4 were insufficient or no flow (pump or cell), 3 were cell failure (actual fluid visible in flowmeter), and 4 were general failure (electronic).
- The GIDEP failure data interchange system has been researched and no failures of this component were found.

Operational Use:

| Correcting Action | Timeframe |
|-------------------|--|
| | Since no correcting action is available, timeframe does not apply. |